IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

NEIL ANDRE ROBERTS DOCKET NO.: VK0001USDIV3

APPLICATION NO.: 10/632817 GROUP ART UNIT: 1751

(OF PARENT) (OF PARENT)

FILED: HEREWITH EXAMINER: JOHN R. HARDEE

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FOR: REFRIGERANT COMPOSITIONS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Introductory Comments

Before examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begins at page 4.

Remarks begin at page 8.